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In re application of:

Yoshiharu TERAOKI, et al.

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AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated February 11, 2002, the three-month due date for which is May 13, 2002, the first business day following May 11, 2002. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

✓ IN THE DRAWINGS:

The applicants proposes to amend Fig. 4 by adding the designation "(Prior Art)" as indicated in red ink on the copy of the drawing, attached hereto for the Examiner's approval.